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Dollar Days on May 21st & 23rd.

The merchants of Didsbury are planning two Big Dollar Days to be held on Saturday and Monday, May 21 and 23. Every store and business will have Big Dollar bargains to offer as well as bargains in all lines.

Auctioneer Phillipson will also hold a big community auction on Saturday, May 21. Remember the dates and be sure and watch for the advertisements that will appear showing the big bargains.

Sent up for Trial.

Norman Chapman, who resides 8 miles west of Olds, was brought before Magistrate Phillipson Saturday, charged with issuing forged cheques to several Didsbury business men on April 10th. It was alleged that the prisoner made purchases at the Jenkins' Groceria, Builders' Hardware Store and Chambers' Drug Store and made payment for same with forged cheques. He used the names of F. Jackson, N. Jackson and T. Simpson in signing the cheques. It was also alleged that Chapman had given forged cheques to business men in Olds the previous Saturday.

Chapman was committed for trial at the next assizes in Calgary. Constable Dobbin, R.C.M.P., investigated the case and made the arrest.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE

"No matter how dark it is, true faith always has a sweet song that it can always sing."

WEEKLY JOKE

He was indignant. He called up the newspaper office: "I notice by today's paper that you have printed an account of my death from 'flu.' " "Is that so," replied the girl at the phone switch, "and where are you speaking from now?"

Wheat Bonus Expires June 15.

Licensees issuing the Dominion five-cent bonus on wheat have been notified that the said bonus will expire on June 15, according to word received on Tuesday. Notification was sent forward by the Board of Grain Commissioners as a result of the following order-in-council:

"Any grower claiming a bonus on Wheat under the terms of the above mentioned act to which he is legally entitled, will require to deliver such wheat on or before June 15, 1932, to a licensed elevator in the western inspection division, commission merchant, truck buyer or grain dealer, as defined by the Canada Grain Act, authorized to pay such bonus."

The bonus has meant approximately \$5000,000 to Alberta farmers.

Joint U.F.A. Meeting Is Again Postponed

Owing to bad roads, the joint U.F.A. meeting which was to have been held in the Community Hall last Monday evening has again been postponed and will be held next Monday evening, May 8th. The vice-president of the U.F.A., Mr. Norman Priestley will give the address.

New Cheque, 'Phone & Sleeper Tax, Monday

In addition to the new stamp tax on cheques and bills of exchange, taxes on railway chair seats, sleeping car berths, telegrams, cables, radio messages and long-distance 'phone calls went into effect Monday morning.

The tax on railway chair seats is 10 cents on each seat, and on berths 10 per cent, with a minimum of 25 cents. Where the cost of telegrams, cables, radio messages and long-distance 'phone calls is 15 cents or more, the tax is 5 cents. Cheque-stamp taxes are 3 cents from \$5 to \$100 and 6 cents above \$100.

"BUY IN DIDSBURY"

LOCAL & GENERAL

Messrs. Al. Russell and L. Levens spent the week-end in Calgary.

Mr. Scotty Cathro, of the Royal Bank, Bowden, spent Arbor Day with friends here.

Mr. N. Lammie, of Calgary, was renewing acquaintances here this week.

We regret to hear that Mr. C. R. Ford was indisposed this week, but compliment him on continuing with his work.

Mr. E. K. Pratt has received word of the death in Toronto on Saturday of his brother, Mr. George Pratt.

The staff of Adshend Garage and others of the district went to Calgary Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late H. B. Adshend.

Messdames McGhee and Halton entertained the members of the Rebekah Lodge at the home of Mrs. McGhee last night. The evening was spent at cards.

Rev. Dr. Powell, Supt. of Home Missions, will be at the Knox United Church on Sunday, at being Mothers Day, his message will be in keeping with the day.

Miss Dorothy Cipekeley returned from Calgary on Saturday, to spend two weeks visiting her home and friends before taking her new position at the Florence Nightingale hospital at Banff.

Mr. L. Wallace, of Admiral, Saskatchewan, has been appointed manager of the Atlas Lumber Co.'s yard here and is expected to be here this week to take charge of the business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLean went to Calgary Tuesday to attend the graduation exercises of nurses at the Calgary General Hospital. Their daughter, Christina is one of the graduate nurses.

Mrs. H. Halton, of Pincher Creek was visiting at the home of her son, Mr. J. W. Halton over the weekend. She en route home from Lavo, where she had been caring for her son. Mr. S. T. Halton, who recently underwent an operation.

The Didsbury students who attended the University, have finished their studies for the year. Those who returned home last week-end for their vacation were: Miss Iva Rupp and Messrs. Geo. Hawkes, Elmer Evans and Gray Sharp.

The local W.C.T.U. will meet at the home of Mrs. C. J. Hallman at the Bible School Thursday afternoon next, when Mrs. Madoche will give a report of the recent convention and Mrs. Chas. Dendrick will address the meeting on "Peace and Arbitration." All friends are welcome.

Messrs. W. G. Liesemer and J. V. Berscht were business visitors to Edmonton on Monday, and incidentally took in the basketball game between the Edmonton Grads and the eastern champions, Windsor, Walkerville Alumnae for the Canadian championship.

DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT	
No. 1 Northern	42
No. 2	38
No. 3	35
No. 4	32
No. 5	29
No. 6	26
OATS	
No. 2 C W.	28
No. 3	22
Extra No. 1 Feed	21
No. 1 Feed	19
BARLEY	
No. 3	26
No. 2	21

H. B. Adshend Dies Suddenly.

Herbert B. Adshend, former member of the House of Commons for East Calgary, died at 12:20 Monday morning in the Calgary General Hospital, following a stroke suffered while leaving a meeting of the Canadian Labor Party in the Canadian Legion Hall, Calgary, Sunday afternoon, May 1st, 1932. Only his eldest son, Cecil H. Adshend, of Didsbury, was at his bedside when the end came.

Born October 17th, 1862, near Manchester, England, Mr. Adshend was educated at the Manchester Grammar School. At the age of 10 years he left school to go to Canada.

In 1882 he married Miss Ellen E. Cawin, daughter of Walker Cawin, of Madoc, Ont. Mr. Adshend entered Ottawa Normal School at the age of 35 years to take up the vocation of school teaching.

Graduating the next year, he came west with his wife and family to settle near Olds, where he farmed and taught school. In 1905 he branched into dairying and seven years later rented his farm and retired to live in Calgary. The year after he went to Calgary he was elected alderman and was re-elected in 1913 and 1917, retiring to contest the mayoralty.

In the mayoralty contest he was defeated by a scant ten votes by Dr. M. C. Connelly. At that time he was Liberal in politics. In 1921 he ran for a seat in the provincial legislature as an Independent Farmer. His defeat followed, but in 1925 he was persuaded to represent Labor in East Calgary during the federal election.

He was elected and for four years sat in the House of Commons. In 1930 he was defeated by Dr. G. D. Stanley, the Conservative candidate. He retired from active politics, although his interest never waned and he was expected to take part in many more political contests.

The late Mr. Adshend is survived by his widow, two sons, Wilfred H. of Calgary and Cecil H., of Didsbury, also one daughter, Annie R., who is living at home with her brother and mother at 119, 25th avenue northwest, Calgary. Two sons predeceased Mr. Adshend, Harry P. being killed in action at Flanders, France while serving with the 10th Battalion, and Samuel A., with the 89th Battalion, dying August 23rd, 1919.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. M. Wilkinson, assisted by Rev. Thomas Powell Wednesday afternoon, May 4th in the Crescent Heights United Church.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The twentieth annual convention of the Central Alberta District of the W.C.T.U. met at Didsbury Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Delegates attended from Wetaskiwin, Red Deer, Olds and Jandam, as well as local delegates.

The provincial president, Mrs. White, of Nanton was on the platform, and the district president, Mrs. D. A. Halliburton, of Red Deer presided.

Under the heading of "Our Work" these papers were given as follows: "Y." Mrs. Hallman, Didsbury; "L. W. R." Mrs. Gatz, Red Deer; "L. T. L." Mrs. Powers, Didsbury. Mrs. Sorancke, of Red Deer gave a very splendid paper on "Echoes from the Disarmament Conference at Geneva."

A very pleasing little play and chorus was given by local children. They were trained by Mrs. Cunningham and their contribution was very acceptable.

A sumptuous banquet was provided by ladies of the local W.C.T.U. and served very capably by a number of young ladies. The local president, Mrs. Cunningham presided. Greetings were brought from the city by Mayor W. H. Chambers and from the various churches and organizations by Rev. A. Traub, of the M.B.C. Church and Rev. R. K. Trowbridge, of the Anglican Church, also Mr. Norman Clarke, Mrs. Harder, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Berscht, and Miss Beth Wrigglesworth. Mrs. Gatz, of Red Deer, replied to the welcome.

At the evening session the delegates were welcomed by Rev. H. J. Wood, of the Evangelical Church. A pleasing program was presented by girls of the Y.P.B. This number was under the direction of Mrs. Rehner, assisted by Mrs. Hallman and Mrs. Madoche. A recitation by Jean Berscht, a solo by Mrs. Powers, and a junior choir added to the enjoyment of the program.

The chief item of the evening's program was an address by the provincial president, Mrs. Win. White. Very sympathetically and earnestly she presented the conditions governing the temperance situation in Alberta and elsewhere and appealed to those present to join in remedying the evils of the day.

The district president presided at this meeting and extended an invitation to those present to attend the Wednesday meetings.

Didsbury's Dollar Days, May 21st and 23rd!

MAC'S SERVICE HARDWARE

Bill McFarquhar, Prop. Phone 33

McKenzie's Garden Seeds in 5c., 10c. and 20c Packets

Corn, Peas, Beans, Carrots, Turnips, Bets & Onion Sets in Bulk, and All at the Right Price. McKenzie Chick Starter and Chick Feed in stock. Drinking Founts & Feeders.

"Service With A Smile."

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MEN'S BROWN SHOES	\$1.00
MEN'S BROWN OXFORDS	\$1.00
BOYS BROWN TAN OXFORDS	\$1.35
BOYS BROWN SHOES	90c
YOUTH'S BROWN SHOES	85c
MISSIE FANCY OXFORDS	85c
CHILDREN'S FANCY OXFORDS	75c
LADIES PALM BEACH OXFORDS	\$1.00
LADIES RAINBOW SLIPPERS	\$1.25
LADIES RAINBOW SLIPPERS with Crepe Soles	\$1.50

Miner's Brand Vacuum Pressure-cured Footwear

Terms Cash J. V. Berscht Phone 36

The Big Congoleum Guessing Contest is On! May 6th to May 14th

Every Person is entitled to a FREE GUESS

Ask to see the New Pattern Rugs

FREE GUESSES on the Hidden Number. The winner receiving a \$4 x 9 Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum Rug. Latest Pattern. Absolutely FREE!

We also would call your attention to the New Linoleums They're Lovely!

Look for Our Big Saturday Special

Builders' Hardware Stores.

Fragrance Sealed In Metal

"SALE" TEA

"Fresh from the Gardens"

Be Careful.

The season is close at hand when once again the roads and highways of the country will witness the passing to and fro, in numbers almost beyond counting, of automobiles, trucks, buses, vans, motor propelled vehicles of all descriptions. Farmers enroute to their marketing centres, city and town people bound for their summer cottages or other resorts, tourists from far and near, commercial travellers and others engaged on business, freight and express cars moving in all directions, will be claiming right-of-way upon rural roads, city streets and provincial highways.

Past years have recorded an ever mounting toll of accidents resulting from all this modern, high powered highway traffic. The lists of killed, maimed for life, seriously and less seriously injured, the money loss in damaged property, have been appalling.

The question is: What is to be the record for this year? Is this costly toll to go higher still, or are we as a civilized people going to come to our senses, and in this year bring about a lessening of those losses?

The following figures have been compiled across the international boundary line. They apply only to the United States, but, while conditions may be somewhat better in Canada, because our population is smaller and our traffic less congested, much the same situation prevails. There is, therefore, a lesson and a warning in these figures for the people of this Dominion. Reference has been made in this column on more than one occasion previously to this subject, but no apology is offered for again directing attention to it at this time because of its importance and in the hope that thereby at least some drivers of motor cars will exercise more caution.

Every year from 1917 through 1921 deaths from automobile accidents have steadily increased. Last year 31,400 people were killed in automobile accidents. Nearly a million others, 967,600 were injured. Losses for a period of eighteen months ending December 31, 1921, exceeded even the United States sacrifices of the World War.

The money cost, also, is prodigious. The Travelers Insurance Company reckons the annual loss at \$2,500,000,000.

This is a staggering sum. It is larger than the entire cost of public education in the United States. It is far greater than the entire cost, exclusive of war debts, of the Federal Government. Examination of the circumstances surrounding these accidents shows clearly that they were avoidable. Here are some of the salient facts:

More than 90 per cent. of the motor vehicles involved in personal injury accidents in 1921 were in good condition. More than 80 per cent. of the accidents occurred in clear weather with dry roads. More than 90 per cent. of the accidents involved drivers of more than one year's experience.

The most hazardous age for driving is under twenty.

Women apparently are safer drivers than men. One male driver out of every twenty-one licensed was involved in a personal injury accident. Only one woman out of every eighty-six licensed was involved in an accident.

The outstanding fact is that automobiles are improperly operated. Exceeding the speed limit was the explanation of 67,080 accidents. Drivers on the wrong side of the road accounted for 62,569. Those who did not have the right-of-way accounted for the largest number, 119,230. Cutting in caused 33,540. Failing to signal accounted for 27,740. Driving off the road-way explained 60,630. Plain reckless driving added another 34,320.

Just one conclusion is possible. Reckless, careless, inconsiderate driving is taking this tragic toll of life and treasure.

The remedy is not, however, to be found in drastic statutes and regulations limiting speed. That experiment has been tried and it proved an utter failure.

What is practicable is the insistence by law and public opinion upon safe driving at all times and at all places. The man or woman who tends to drive in a way dangerous to pedestrians or other motorists should be denied a license, and if they have already received one, it should be withdrawn. Licenses must be taken from drunken drivers, incompetent drivers and reckless drivers.

Respect for the law and voluntary observation of the rules of safe driving are required. Motorists as a class may well organize for safety, and pedestrians should recognize the fact that, on our major driven streets and highways, they take their lives in their hands when they disregard the regulations and bylaws enacted for their own safety.

The vast majority of cars are dependable today, but, like any piece of machinery, some part may weaken or get out of order. It is, therefore, the duty of the driver to have it checked over thoroughly and frequently. His own life, as well as the lives of others, may depend upon the precaution.

But, in the final analysis, and in an overwhelming majority of cases, it is the driver, not the condition of the car, who is responsible for accidents. It is the human element that counts; that is the vital factor in nearly all these tragedies. Law alone cannot control him, although it may punish him afterwards, providing he is alive to receive punishment. He must control himself.

New Zealand Leads

The tendency to live in over-heated, hot drinking cup weighing less than a ounce is cited as one reason for Canada's high infant mortality rate, in a statement issued by the Canadian town and a magnifying glass in its Chamber for Child and Family Welfare. New Zealand's low mortality rate, lowest in the world, is attributed to lack of crowding, equable climate and "the lesser distances" in Paris is composed entirely of glass. "There is little or no real poverty transparent everywhere save in the towns," the report adds.

Fit hunters and campers a collapse of two canoes has been designed carrying a compass and mirror on its bolt.

To admit as much light as possible a steel-frame house recently built in Paris is composed entirely of glass.

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Nerves A Complete Wreck
Sat Up Half The Night

Mrs. John Rose, Bark Lake, Ont., writes: "I was troubled so much with my nerves I was a complete wreck."

I could not do my work, and would have to sit up half the night on account of not being able to sleep.

One day a friend recommended Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I used one box and got relief and by the time I had taken six boxes I was as good as ever."

Price 50c a box

Sold at all drug and general stores, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Ont.

Level Crossing Accidents

Quebec Man Demonstrates Device To Overcome Danger

An automatic gate, the inventor of which claims it will prevent accidents at level crossings, was demonstrated to provincial road department officials at Quebec. The inventor is Maurice Hebert of Sherbrooke.

The gate is worked by electric contact located several hundred feet from the crossing. The moment the forward wheels of the locomotive touch the point of contact, the gates begin to lower slowly, at the same time starting the ring of a bell. The bell continues to ring and the gate remains closed until the last wheel of the rear coach has passed the point of contact.

MOURNING WARDROBE

"A death occurred in our family and I had to go to mourning. I could hardly afford to buy all black clothes, so decided to dye what I had. I consulted our druggist and advised to use Diamond Dyes. Everything came out beautifully: coats, wool dresses, stockings and all the results were perfect. I did to get Diamond Dyes and do the work over. Recently I have tinted my hair with Diamond Dyes and dyed a rug a lovely garnet with Diamond Dyes. They are real money savers. The lowest dye money can buy. I truly believe."

Mrs. G.K.L., Montreal.

Ask Rate Adjustment

Want Fair Rate Basis On Shipments Going To Churchill

Adoption of the distribution or town tariff freight rate basis for Churchill cargoes is sought by the Saskatoon Board of Trade.

Opposition to the Fort William terminal basis for incoming and outgoing shipments by the Hudson Bay route was voiced at the quarterly meeting of the board.

The Fort William route would enforce a rate for distributing centres based on 85 per cent. of the standard mileage in place of a rate fixed on the mileage less an arbitrary deduction of 120 miles no matter the distance from the terminal. The Board of Trade claims that this latter basis is unfair in that it gives a decided advantage to points near the terminus.

Persian Balm, alluring, provocative and charming. Fragrant and refreshing as a cool breeze in summer. Delightful to use. Creates complexion of surprising loveliness. Makes the skin velvety soft in texture. Soothes and dispels all irritations caused by weather conditions. Softens and whitens the hands. Persian Balm is a perfect toilet requisite for women who care for charm and distinction. Use it for hands and face.

Time For Private

Members Is Limited

Allowed One Hour In Evening Takes a Week

Time allotted to private members in the House of Commons will be still further restricted. The government gave notice that after March 21, government business will take precedence on that day until the end of the session. A resolution taking Wednesday for governmental business has been approved by the House. When Monday was also taken over for government business, the early time remaining for private members will be one hour in the evenings on two nights a week.

Powerful Medicine. The healing properties of this essential oil are concentrated in every bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, forming one of the most beneficial tonics ever offered to the use of man. Many can testify as to its power in allaying pain, and many can certify that they owe their health to it. Its wonderful power is not expressed by the small price at which it sells.

Travelers Entertained

Passengers who miss their trains or have long waits at the St. Lazare Station, Paris, will shortly be able to enjoy a thirty-minute film show while waiting. The cinema, which will hold 250 people, will give a continuous performance from 9 a.m. till midnight.

Truth may be embarrassing at the time it is uttered. It is the lie that rises up to give trouble later.

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A REAL TREAT

EDWARDSBURG
CROWN BRAND
CHILDREN LOVE IT
WITH BREAD
OR WITH PANCAKES
CORN SYRUP
The CANADA STARCH CO., Limited, MONTREAL

Tinting the Highways

California Would Like Tan Cement For Roads and Pavements

Sun-kissed California wants her sun tan recognized as a sort of trade mark. Down there they want all roads and pavements colored in most enlivening tones but rather lean to sun tans. They have discovered an apt process which will make the tinting of sidewalks and highways that color without the least additional cost. The city reports that a far western cement manufacturing concern has found a way to produce a tan-toned cement, without the addition of any coloring material, merely by a special burning process. San Francisco also finds the public avers to the desirability of having other colors than the familiar whitish gray of the ordinary cement mixtures in the construction of pavements. So if they can burn a tan cement maybe the concrete will find a means also of turning out a self-coloring blue green or even pink. The far western cement's officers have declared their new tan cement to be the finest red improvement in the basic color of Portland cement introduced in 108 years.—Brandon Sun.

To have the children sound and healthy is the first cure of a mother. They cannot be healthy if troubled with worms. Use Mother Graves Worm Exterminator.

Future Of New York

Wonderful Development Is Predicted Within Next Thirty Years

Twenty million inhabitants. A series of industrial and business centres connected by electric rapid transit so that workers can ride to any one without changing cars. Belt-line railways for passengers and freight airports by the dozen; a vast system of motor highways, boulevards and parkways; more than 5,000 square miles in one gigantic city. That is the New York of 1965, envisioned by "The Regional Plan of New York and Environs."

Russia Threatened

With Seed Shortage

Country Evidently Exported More Wheat Than Harvest Justified

During the past month interesting news has been forthcoming from Russia in connection with the difficulties that the Soviet authorities are experiencing as a result of poor harvests in some areas last year, suggesting that Russia has exported more wheat than was justified by the crop harvested in 1921. This information was contained in a statement issued by H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce.

In a cable received by the bureau, early in March it was stated that at the end of 1921 there were 150,000 tractors in Russia, of which number 70 per cent. required repairs. Up to February 20, only 44.3 per cent. damaged tractors had been reconstructed.

A further cable received on March 15, stated that up to March 1, 50 per cent. of the tractors needing repairs had been placed in operating condition.

Douglas Egyptian Liniment makes the frost blister known. Is valuable for stock. Leaves the hair roots in natural and healthy condition. Hair comes back. No scar remains.

Seeks Damages

Action Commenced On Account Of Death Of Seaman On Submarine "Nautilus"

Suit for \$100,000 damages was begun recently against the Trans-Atlantic Submarine Expedition Company of Delaware, which financed the expedition toward the North Pole led by Sir Hubert Wilkins.

The action is brought by the administrator of the estate of Willard I. Grimmer, seaman who was swept from the submarine "Nautilus" by high seas and drowned last March 21.

The complaint alleges the life-line was not equipped with secure fasteners and negligence of those in charge of operations led to Grimmer's death.



"SICK HEADACHE?"

It is not necessary to give in to headaches. It is just a bit old-fashioned. The modern woman who feels a headache coming on at any time, takes some tablets of Aspirin and heads it off.

Keep Aspirin handy, and keep your engagements. Headaches, as a rule, come at inconvenient times. So do colds. You can and then before they're fairly started if you'll only remember this handy, harmless form of relief. Carry it in your purse and insure your comfort while shopping. Your evening's pleasure at the theatre. This little household ark that brings a cure of "nerves" by day are cooled in a pinch. Pains that once kept people home are forgotten half an hour after taking Aspirin! You'll find these tablets always help. In every

package of Aspirin tablets are proven directions which cover colds, sore throats, toothache, neuralgia, rheumatism, sciatica, and even rheumatism.

The tablets stamped Bayer won't fail you, and can't harm you. They don't depress the heart. They don't upset the stomach. So take them whenever you need them, and take enough to end the pain. Aspirin is made in Canada.



Increased Population For Canada Will Be Necessary Soon To Help Liquidate National Obligations

To those who think superficially, it may seem out of place, in the presence of considerable unemployment throughout the Dominion, to talk of plans for increasing the population of the country by means of selected immigration. Nothing is clearer, however, than the fact that Canada, with its immense area and vast vacant spaces, cannot hope to pay its way or to carry its immense established overhead without more shoulders upon which to place the burden. The Dominion has a financial, industrial and railway plant which equips it to care for twenty or twenty-five million people, instead of only ten million as at present.

If we could secure additional population by gradual means and establish it on a sound economic basis, our national troubles would disappear. A public debt of \$2,300,000,000, a huge railway debt, and the existing load of provincial and municipal debts would no longer be beyond our capacity. With several million people we could pay the interest easily and gradually liquidate the principal. The railways would have more people and goods to carry, their deficits would be turned into surpluses, and our industries would have larger domestic markets for their products. Our paper and pulp mill establishments would no longer be too large for the country. It is quite clear that Canada's greatest need is more people for its vast spaces, more farmers to till its unoccupied lands, more producers and more consumers of all kinds.

The immigration of an adequate immigration policy must, of course, await the return of normal world conditions, so that there will be adequate markets abroad for our products, and particularly for the primary products of farm, land, forest and fishery. If the Imperial Conference, to be held at Ottawa next July, proves the success that is anticipated its decisions will in time go far to supply such markets. In any event we are glad to note that, in the words of Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Secretary of State for the Dominions in the British Parliament, the question of intra-Empire migration is to form one of the important subjects of discussion at Ottawa.

There is reason for satisfaction that the Canadian Government takes the same view, for, as Hon. W. A. Gordon, Acting Minister of Immigration, said at Ottawa recently, "Whether we like it or not, we must get over to the positive side of immigration because we must have more people if we hope to pay off a debt with which ten million people are loaded at present by reason of the railway problem on our hands." Another important consideration is the need of bringing in more British people of the right kind to strengthen and stabilize the Anglo-Saxon elements in our population and to buttress the British sentiments of the country. Toronto Mail and Empire.

Right Up-To-Date

Bobby (short of money): "I say, dad, have you any work you'd like me to do?"
Father (taken by surprise): "Why—no, but—"
Bobby: "Then would you like to put me on the dole?"

Business is like a wheelbarrow. It stands still unless somebody pushes it.



"What has he done?"
"He attempted to strike me."
"Then what is he charged with?"
Attempted suicide. Gemütliche Sache, Leipzig.

W. N. U. 1035

Not As Pictured

Members Of British House Of Lords Are Sturdy Patriots

The Prince of Wales has unveiled a Memorial in the Royal Gallery of the House of Lords to 245 peers who lost their lives in the World War.

These figures are startling. They represent fully one-third of the total membership. Just think what one community would have sacrificed were 245 out of 740 male members of the population to be killed or die of wounds.

Prior to the war the Lords were in disfavor with a large section of the British people. Mr. Lloyd George had worked up a terrific agitation against them. He virtually pictured them as a lot of blood-sucking leeches on the people and grinding the masses down in poverty.

But in fact the peers were, and are, about the staunchest patriots in the British constitution. By their hereditary rights of rulership, public service is one of the first things they think of. There some officer the army and the navy. There is scarcely any other occupation for a peer's son. They enter the services as a matter of course. And when the time comes the officers are right in the thick of things.

Much of Britain's finest blood, peers and the sons of peers, the latter running into thousands, is spilled in defense of Britain whenever and wherever the army or navy are engaged. St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Beans Make Good Crop

Interest In Growing Beans In Western Canada Is Increasing

The Dominion Experimental Station at Lethbridge, Alberta, reports a decided increase in interest in the growing of field beans in western Canada, particularly in irrigated areas. Heretofore practically all the beans used in cities and towns of western Canada have been imported from Japan, the United States and Eastern Canada. A point like Lethbridge, for example, uses about six carloads of 30,000 pounds each annually. Beans require a long season to mature and should be planted sufficiently early to ensure against loss from fall frosts. The small white varieties are best suited to market demand, and it is also pointed out that too rich land, too heavy irrigation, too thin seeding, and too wide spacing of rows all tend to prolong the period of growth.

Cold Storage For Apples

The Vancouver Harbor Board still has under advisement plans for the construction of a cool room at one of the board's piers with a capacity of 100,000 boxes of apples, designed principally to facilitate the handling of the export apple crop from the Okanagan.



BY Annette



857

MANY A LITTLE GIRL SIGNS FOR A BOLEERO DRESS, SUCH AS

DEBUTANTE SISTER WEARS.

Today's model is quite the easiest thing in the world to fashion. The caped collar gives it a smart difference, and is so girlish and pretty. You'll like the rather straight lapped appearance of the skirt. Inverted plait at the front, provide simple flare.

Deep blue sheer checked woolen made the skirt and bolero jacket. Then there's the delicious blouse of fresh linen in orange-red shade. The tie of crepe de chine tones with the blue.

Or perhaps you don't care about woolen? You prefer daughter in wash frocks. Why then the entire dress may be made of linen in lovely new pink shade with white or in French blue with white.

Style No. 857 is designed for sizes 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. Size 8 requires 7 1/2 yards of 39-inch material for bolero and skirt with 3/4 yard of 39-inch material for waist.

Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin count is preferred. Wrap coin carefully.

How To Order Patterns

Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg.

Pattern No. Size

Name

Address

City

State

Telephone

Send no money now. We will mail you the pattern as soon as we receive your order.

Life is worth living better than most men live it.

A SOLDIER-PRESIDENT ON PARADE



Attired in the full dress uniform of his rank as Field Marshal, President von Hindenburg of Germany recalls the war days of 1914-18 when he was leading his country in the most disastrous war in history. The 84-year-old soldier-President is shown as he reviewed the Guards Regiment of Berlin on the Masari Field. Next to von Hindenburg is Oberst von Tiedemann, commander of the regiment, while at the extreme left is General von Hammerstein, Commander-in-Chief of the German Army.

Radial Rings On Tree Trunks Reveal Age And History Of Dry Seasons Of The Past

Wheat Not Included

In Germany's Super Tariff Against Goods From Canada

The Reichsanzeiger, official gazette of the German Government, publishes a decree authorizing the finance minister to impose the so-called super-tariff against goods from Canada, increasing existing duties 100 per cent. as from April 1.

Goods specifically mentioned in the decree were: Fresh, dried and tinned fruits, fish, lobster, oysters, turtles, flour, butter, pork, caribou, aluminum, shoes, certain kinds of machinery. Canadian wheat was not included in the list.

The decree provided that the duties can be suspended for six months, providing Canada at once enters into negotiations with Germany for the conclusion of a commercial treaty.

Germany is one of the few countries in central Europe with which Canada has never concluded a commercial treaty. Canada has had commercial treaties with France, Belgium, Holland, Spain, Czechoslovakia, Finland, Hungary, Estonia, the Serb, Croat and Slovene Kingdom, Roumania and Lithuania.

Canadian Humor

Type By Itself and Is Essentially Good-Natured

Canadian humor as a type differs from American and English alike, writes Lionel Stevenson in "Appraisals of Canadian Literature." There is not the characteristic exaggeration of the one, nor the characteristic restraint of the other. There is a closer affinity, perhaps, with the Scottish type, as exemplified by Barrie, with his whimsicality and sympathetic indulgence, but the Canadian style is more downright, and deals more with action, less with character. It is a hearty sense of fun, arising from genuine joy of life, including an eye for the absurd which is latent in the commonplace. It is essentially good-natured. Steering a perilous course between cruelty and sentimentality, it usually contrives to avoid both, by sheer force of simple, sunny cheerfulness.

Color Attracts Butterflies

Tests Show Green Was Not At All Popular

It is the color, and not the odor, of flowers that attracts butterflies, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. This was proved in tests in Germany where paper flowers were scattered in a garden with laughing ones. It was found that the insects settled indiscriminately on both kinds to seek food. The experiment further revealed that different species displayed preferences for special colors, some yellow and blue, others blue and purple, but none of them was attracted by green.

Students of arboriculture, or, late years in the west have taken seriously to the observation of the growth of trees, since there appears to be positive proof that tree growth depends on the annual precipitation.

Experts in the study of trees can tell by the number of radial rings the age of the tree. Once that part of the science was established, observation was directed to the width of the rings marking each year's growth.

In some large trees where the rings were well defined, it was observed that growth was not the same every year, and it was finally agreed by students that there was a reason for some rings being wider than others. This reason is given as either lack of, or sufficient moisture.

First the observations were made on trees growing in depressions where sufficient moisture was available all through the growing period. It was found that rings in such trees were almost uniform, and as the tree aged in years, the rings became perceptibly smaller.

This established the principle that old trees do not respond in the same manner to nutrition and moisture as do young trees.

Trees on uplands where drought would affect them were then studied. It was found that during the periods of drought the rings were less in width than the rings during the years of plenty of moisture. Thus students were able to record years of drought in the country without having any prior meteorological records.

In the observations made by L. B. Powell, formerly of Weyburn, and now of Regina, sections of trees were found in several parts of Saskatchewan, where the years 1794, 1798, 1800, 1820 and 1821 were plainly shown as dry years. White spruce, ash, elm, and poplar cross sections clearly indicate this.

Such progress has been made in the study of the trees that the age of trees, cut down hundreds of years ago, can be told from the timber.

One expert in this science, A. E. Douglass, of Tucson, Arizona, was able by referring to his chart on trees, to take timbers from the abandoned cliff dwellings in New Mexico and tell the years in which these timbers were cut thousands of years ago. Last year he received a prize of \$2,000 from the Rockefeller Foundation for his research work and his contribution to the science of arboriculture.

There are of course other agencies that must be taken into consideration in measuring the growth of trees. There is sunshine, shade, climate conditions such as extreme cold and scorching heat. All these have some effect on the growing trees in certain sections of the country.

One peculiar condition exists in British Columbia. There the width of the rings of the trees are almost always uniform, showing that plenty of moisture and an equable climate governs the growth of the trees. There also older trees show that as age comes on, the rings grow less in width. Regina Leader.

New Diving Apparatus

A deep-sea diving apparatus, which will allow exploration and work at depths of 10,000 feet and more, has been invented in Germany. The contrivance is shaped like an egg and its metal shell is made to resist enormous water pressure by automatically adjusting the interior air pressure through the vaporization of liquid air.



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J. E. GOSDER, Editor & Manager

An Historical Analysis Of the Wheat Situation

Canada, and especially Western Canada, is dependent for prosperity upon her wheat crop and the price that the farmer receives for it. Therefore, what wheat is likely to do in the future is of interest to us all, no matter what business we are engaged in. Nobody can tell with certainty what the trend of the price will be, but we can draw certain conclusions from what it has done in the past. I have before me a chart of the Liverpool prices for the last 300 years, and I find from it that since 1600 there have been only three occasions upon which the price of wheat has fallen below 60 cents per bushel.

From 1600 to 1605, the price was around 65 cents, falling in the latter year to 50 cents. It remained there for two years and then started to rise, until in 1610 it had reached the dollar mark. It then declined, until in 1619 it was 37 cents, where it remained until 1621. It then rose rapidly and in 1622 it was \$2.35. It receded again until 1632, when it reached 75 cents, but by 1636 it had bounded up once more to \$3.10, where it stayed for three years. In 1647 the price fell down to 30 cents and rose again to a dollar in 1650. By 1654 it had fallen to 25 cents. This is the last time that wheat has sold below 60 cents per bushel, until the collapse of 1931. From 1654 on, the price fluctuated considerably from year to year, but the general trend was upward, until in 1811 it was selling for \$3.85. Then it fell, until in 1891 it reached 65 cents. The upward swing began again until 1919, when the price rose to \$2.05. From then on, the trend has been down, to below the 60 cent mark for the first time since 1654 in 1931.

Now let us consider the position of the farmer during these periods of changing values. We will consider first the period between 1894 and 1919, which was one of rising values. In 1894 the producers wheat was worth only 65 cents per bushel. The following year it was worth more, and also the next. It is true that he had temporary setbacks, for there were some years when the price was lower than during the preceding year, but the general trend was upward. In the 23-year period, from 1894 to 1919, the price of his wheat rose from 65 cents to \$2.05 per bushel. During this period he stood to make money, because his expenses were based on the value of his produce during the preceding years. This was, therefore, a period of real prosperity for the farmer.

But in 1919 he had reached the top of the hill, then he must go down. The value of wheat in his 1920 crop was based on the value of his 1919 crop, but instead of it being worth \$2.05 per bushel, it was worth only \$1.28. The following year it was worth \$1.66 and then, \$1.40. In 1924, prices recovered slightly, bringing the value up to \$1.85, but since then, until 1931, it has been on the decline. Therefore, during the twelve year period from 1919 to 1931, the value of a bushel of wheat has declined by easy stages from \$2.05 to less than 60 cents. Now it is on

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"Five and Ten," the picture adapted from Fannie Hurst's best-seller, will be shown at the Opera House Monday and Thursday next. Stars Marion Davies. A story of a girl who finds that money is not thing and blue blood quite another.

At the talkies tonight (Thursday) 8:30—Norma Shearer and Robert Montgomery will be starred in the novel sensation, "Strangers May Kiss," a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture. What chance has love in today's mad pursuit of pleasure?

"Just Imagine," depicting an era fifty years from now, will be a super-special feature at the Opera House next Friday night, May 13th. A marvellous and magnificent super production at regular prices. Keep the date in mind.

The sermon subject on Sunday morning at Zion Evangelical Church will be "What God Requires," and in the evening, "The Springtime of the Soul." Sunday, May 15th will be celebrated as Mothers' Day, and programs will be given at the morning service and Sunday School.

Capt. Eddie Collins, Mickey Crane and Cy Perkins of the world's champion Philadelphia Athletics, and Tris Speaker, world's champion player of former years, have been spending the first half of November in the New Brunswick woods, shooting deer, moose and bear and also adding wild geese and brant to their bags by a visit to Bathurst on the Gulf of St. Lawrence coast. Fredston was the starting point for their hunting trips.

The championship of the 11th Canadian egg laying contest, just concluded at the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa, goes to a hen of white leghorns entered by Richard Green of Farnington Park, Preston, England, while second place honors went to Mrs. W. J. Thomson of Birch Hills, Sask., with a hen of barred Plymouth Rock. Third place was taken by a hen of Rhode Island reds entered by the University of British Columbia. The best laying individual bird in the contest was a Rhode Island red, No. 3067 entered by Dan Russell of New Westminster, B.C. It made a score of 287.8 points for 249 eggs. The contest lasted as usual, 52 weeks.

Six international army officers' teams will compete at the Royal Winter Fair Horse Show to be held at Toronto, November 19-27. They will come from the United States, the Irish Free State, Hungary, Sweden, Germany, and there will also be a Canadian team. Teams will consist of four officers each who will enter the lists for the 1932-33 International Officers' Team Challenge Trophy.

the upturn once more, and it is reasonable to expect that the coming period will be one of advancing prices similar to that of 1894-1919.

We must not expect conditions to change in a day, for one of the outstanding things shown by the chart is the fact that when the price has reached the bottom, it stays there for some time before the upward trend begins. In 1654 the price fluctuated between 25 and 40 cents per bushel for three years before the upturn was really noticeable. In 1894 it stayed between 65 and 80 cents for four years. During the present depression it has been between 45 and 60 cents for nearly two years already.

While it is impossible to estimate how long it will be before the price of wheat improves appreciably, in the light of the past it should not be far off now, and when it comes it is bound to bring with it an era of prosperity to the farmer such as he has not enjoyed for many years.

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Predicts Smaller Wheat Carry-Over

The dominion government bureau of statistics estimates Canada's wheat carryover at the end of the crop year (July 31st, 1932) will be 104 million bushels, the smallest since 1928. Last year the carryover was 133 million bushels. Visible supply of Canadian wheat on March 20th was 176,316,806 bushels.

Boys & Girls Clubwork.

Approximately 1,700 farm boys and girls are engaged in farm club work in Alberta, it is revealed in the annual report of the provincial department of agriculture. During the past year three projects were in operation, namely grain clubs, swine clubs and calf clubs. Some extension of the work is being considered for the coming season. A recent analysis of farm club work in Canada shows that Alberta stands in the enviable position of third among the provinces in the number of boys and girls in club work per 1,000 population. New Brunswick and Manitoba are in second place, with 3.4 per cent. each, and Alberta in third place, with 2.5 per cent. Grain clubs alone in Alberta totalled 17 last year, with nearly 800 boys as members. Nova Scotia stands at the top of the list, with 6.5 per cent. per 1,000 population.

Harvester Coy. Offers Guaranty, 77c a Bushel

Seventy-seven cents a bushel for No. 1 Northern wheat, Winnipeg, is the crop price guaranty offered by the International Harvester Company of Canada, Ltd. to its Canadian customers. The guaranty applies to the 40 per cent. payment due on this year on future 1932 purchases on any of the company's machines. Charles R. Morrison, of Chicago, director of sales in Canada, explained the offer at a meeting of the company's western branch managers. Mr. Morrison said that the offer was similar to the plan recently announced in the United States. There was no element of barter involved in the offer. It was not proposed to accept wheat for machines, but to offer a guaranty of the price of the wheat at the time of the 1932 settlements.

"The purpose," he said, "is not merely to stimulate sales of Harvester products, but also to give substantial evidence of our faith that wheat will soon improve."

"Five & Ten" at Didsbury.

Marion Davies will be seen in her first 90 per cent. straight dramatic role when her latest picture, "Five & Ten" is screened at the Didsbury Opera House Monday and Thursday next.

Miss Davies, whose talent for serious acting has been obscured in the light comedy parts of her previous vehicles, has plenty of opportunities to reveal her "other side" in the role of the daughter of the five- and ten-cent-store magnate, and who finds that money is one thing and blue blood quite another.

The picture is adapted from the famous Harriet Beecher Stowe and was directed by Robert Z. Leonard, who directs most of Marion's films. The vehicle is said to be Miss Davies' most ambitious attempt to date, a statement supported by the unusually important cast, which includes Leslie Howard, Irene Rich, and Kent Douglas.

The story centres about the love affair of Miss Davies with Leslie Howard, who is led to believe she is trying to buy her way into society by a marriage with him, the plot also includes several dramatic episodes with other members of the family. The father is so busy amassing millions, he fails to see his wife drifting away from him or his son driven to suicide.

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A modified form of state road law was introduced in the House of Commons by Dr. J. P. Hoodless, Liberal, St. Boniface.

Mahatma Gandhi has added 11 books to his jail library. He has again completed reading the Bible again and has started re-reading the Koran.

Manitoba's mineral productions were nearly doubled in the past year, according to the report of George E. Cole, director of mines for the province.

The French Chamber of Deputies turned thumbs down on woman suffrage, less than a month after it had voted overwhelmingly for votes for women.

Sister Mary Martha Batt, the oldest Franciscan nun in England, died at the Franciscan convent in her 90th year. She had not been in the convent walls for more than 50 years.

Faced with increasing fiscal troubles, directors of Paris theatres decided unanimously to discontinue performances unless measures of relief were enacted.

Hostilities with Japan in the Shanghai area have cost the Chinese \$3,000,000 lives and \$100,000,000 in property loss, Wu Te-ching, chief of Chinese Department of Statistics, estimated.

The pretty little playhouse which the Welsh people built for the Princess Elizabeth, granddaughter of the King, was destroyed by fire as it was being taken to London to be presented to her.

Canadian law enforcement won the King's trophy for miniature rifle shooting, competed for by 22,000 boys in all parts of the empire. It was announced by the National Rifle Association.

Worth a Half Dollar

The name of a steadily rising price in a small town reveals a situation from removal from a native son who had moved to another part of the country. The distant subscriber also received 20 cents in postage stamps with a note that said, "Now all of you will use a half dollar and tell me the news you carry print."

Chillingham Castle, famous old Scottish border stronghold, has been robbed.



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Poultry On the Farm

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Official records show that the poultry population of Canada has doubled each ten years during the period of the past thirty years. Each succeeding period of low prices for farm products finds the poultry flock coming to the farmer's rescue. At the present time it can easily be shown that the poultry flock properly bred, housed and looked after is from the standpoint of capital investment and feed cost, one of the best paying lines of farm effort. Each succeeding year appears to make it more clear that the farm is the logical place for the development of the poultry industry with respect to both eggs and meat production. The farm flock is a useful medium for the marketing of otherwise unsaleable products in the form of eggs and poultry meat. Banks and loan companies find the farm which has a poultry flock a much better risk than the one which has none. Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.



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"Bruce County, of course," was his reply in explanation of his steady advance from practical railroading to his present executive responsibility. A few years on a farm homestead near Portage la Prairie, and one year—1892-93, patrolling Main Street as a Winnipeg policeman when the Black Maria was the nearest sight, preceded his entry into railroading on the Canadian Pacific.

Beginning in 1888, Mr. McKay drove an express wagon. He became a freight brakeman in 1895 on the Northern Pacific and was promoted to the position of conductor in 1899. In 1906 he was appointed trainmaster out of Winnipeg, and a year later at Souris. Back to Winnipeg in 1911, he took over the duties of acting superintendent of terminals, and in 1912 reached the position of assistant superintendent at Revelstoke. Fighting snowslides in the Rockies with success, he was rewarded with the less hazardous position of superintendent at Saskatoon, where he served from 1917 to 1920, the year in which he became general agricultural agent with headquarters at Winnipeg.

Advance Of Aviation

Travels In Seven Days Distance That Formerly Required 35 Months To Negotiate

When the Avrocar air mail left the London air station, Cranston, England, recently, there travelled with it a man whose journey illustrated in remarkable fashion the advance of aviation manifested in the chain of 57 aerodromes and landing grounds between Cairo and Cape Town.

Thirty-two years ago Major Francis Grogan, big game hunter and explorer, walked from the Cape to Cairo, taking three years. He toiled through thousands of miles of bush and jungle, frequently distressed by fever, brought on by the hardships of the march and the activities of myriads of disease-carrying insects that infested much of the track he followed. Time and again he was in danger from wild beasts and hostile natives, open a vivid book out among his porters and he was forced to defend himself with his revolver.

This time Major Grogan went with the air mail, making in seven days the journey that took him 35 months less than a generation ago. He was the first passenger, apart from the members of the small official party which left Grogan on the inaugural flight, to fly through from London to South Africa by the new air route.

Education For Adults

People Should Continue To Learn After School Days Are Over

Education is usually supposed to be something for youth. The word calls up visions of public schools, high schools and colleges, with more or less eager youngsters flocking in to learn what they may about the life that lies ahead of them.

But Professor Leon J. Richardson, Director of the University of California Extension Division, points out that education for adults is one of the most important of the university's tasks, and that extension courses for grownups are now being offered by nearly 450 colleges and universities. "By the modern theory," he says, "a nation must inevitably deteriorate unless it can depend on a body of citizens who continue to learn after school days are over and thus adapt themselves to the changing conditions of the world in which they live."

This is a theory—or, rather an axiom, a self-evident fact—that we need to have called to our attention rather frequently.

The growing complexity of the world has placed a great responsibility on the shoulders of the average citizen. A century or more ago a nation could get along very nicely if all hands left the understanding and direction of things to a small, specialized group at the top. The great mass of people never bothered about any problems not directly connected with the events of daily life—and the system worked out fairly well.

But these days are gone forever. We must not only learn all we can about the ins and outs of the daily job; we must, whether we like it or not, become informed about the outside world, because things that happen in far-away places on the other side of the globe can affect us in a profound and intimate way.

It is often said that we need wise leadership in these complicated times. That is quite true; but wise leadership is powerless unless those whom it is to lead know what it is all about. Humanity has seldom had quite as many chances to go rushing down a steep place into the sea as it has today. The danger won't be avoided unless we of the rank and file keep mentally abreast of the times.

Remarkable Coincidence

Men Interested In Vancouver Island Had Ancestors In Same Place

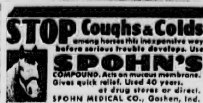
An interesting coincidence in connection with the efforts of Frank J. D. Barnham to save some of the giant Douglas fir trees on Vancouver Island for posterity, through their purchase by him, is the fact that Captain George Vancouver, one of the first explorers to visit that island, and after whom it was named was born in King's Lynn, Norfolk, while one of the direct ancestors in the male line of Mr. Barnham, Henry Barnham (the spelling was changed in the seventeenth century), also came from King's Lynn, having been mayor for several years, member of Parliament 1449 to 1472, and English Ambassador to the Court of the King of Dahomey the old Roman Kingdom that lay between the Danube and the Cyprian Mountains.

Mr. Barnham is a direct descendant of Sir Richard de Barnham, of Barnham Hall, Barnham, Norfolk. Hence the man who was connected with the first discovery of Vancouver Island, when it was completely covered with giant timber, like the man who is now trying to save some of the last of its big trees, had ancestors who lived originally in King's Lynn.

Farm Horses Come Back

Horse Regaining Favor As Cheap Farm Power

The present low price of oats and other feed in contact with the high cost of gas and oil required in tractor operation combine, as the Dominion Animal Husbandman suggests, to indicate that the horse is rapidly regaining favour as a medium of farm power. He predicts that the next few years will see a revival in horse breeding and the use of heavy draft horses on the farms of Canada both east and west. As he points out, under present conditions horses can be bred and reared cheaply and when they have reached working age, the charges for depreciation, fuel and repairs are surprisingly low, for the self-oiling engine has nothing whatever on the self-repairing heavy draft horse.



League Membership Dues

China Said To Be In Arrears To The Extent Of \$1,000,000

Some countries pay their annual dues to the League of Nations. Others don't. Like any other gentlemen's club, memberships are sometimes in arrears when, as in the case of China and the South American republics, civil wars, revolutions and such domestic annoyances deplete the national treasury. The league, then, is out of luck.

Interesting facts relative to this are disclosed in a return tabled in the senate at the behest of Major-General W. A. Griesbach. It shows, among other things, that Canada at least pays her way—and that handsomely.

Canada's assessment in 1931 amounted to \$212,573, and she paid on the bill. China's was in the neighborhood of \$500,000, but the former celestial kingdom has been hard up for a long time. In fact China owes the league \$1,000,000 in membership fees, being her consolidated arrears for the past nine years.

The year 1930 was a bad one for the league's collecting agency. No fewer than seven of the nine South American members passed up their dues, four of them—Bolivia, Paraguay, Argentina and Peru—in whole, and three—Uruguay, Chile, and Colombia—in part.

The seven nations of the British Empire who are members of the league regularly pay in their assessments, which amount to exactly 20 per cent. of the total. Fifty-five nations of the world are members of the league.

Since 1919 Canada has spent \$2,429,244 on the activities of the league, monies expended on assessments, incidental expenses and delegations.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

MINT FUDGE

- 3 cups sugar.
- 1 teaspoon peppermint extract.
- 1 cup milk.
- 2 tablespoons butter.
- 2 squares unsweetened chocolate.
- 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Boil sugar, milk and butter to soft ball stage when tested in cold water. Take from stove. Keep half the syrup liquid over boiling water. Beat other half to cream, add peppermint extract and turn on to buttered platter. To hot syrup add the chocolate grated. Stir until chocolate is melted, beat until creamy, add vanilla and turn over first mixture. Mark into squares. The mint part of the fudge may be tinted with green vegetable coloring.

APRICOT AND PRUNE MARMALADE

- 1/2 pound apricots.
- 1 cup sugar.
- 1/2 pound prunes.
- 4 cups water.

Wash the prunes and apricots thoroughly and put them in the water to soak overnight. Cook the fruit together for 10 minutes, add the sugar, and simmer until the juice is fairly rich. Pour into hot, clean, jelly glasses. Seal.

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Mountain View Notes

Miss M. Hill is at present in Calgary, having recently undergone a miner operation.

Several planes passed overhead last week—a welcome sight, as we still miss the mail planes.

A meeting of the local U.F.A. is to be held in Community Hall on Monday next. May 10, when Mr. Norman Priestley, vice-president of the U.F.A. will give an address of interest to all farmers.

Seeding operations were delayed owing to the recent storm. The snow has not yet disappeared from the rock-like structure it formed in many places. The moisture was most beneficial and farmers did not mind the forced delay. On the other hand, the government may not feel so pleased about the resultant damage to telephone wires, etc. amounting to several thousands of dollars. We hope no more taxes will be placed to meet this deficit.

Melvin Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Irwin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harris and family, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Johnston.

The seeding operations in this district were again in full swing at the beginning of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chandler and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Chandler.

Miss Ruth Johnston, who has been nursing her nephew at Three Hills, returned home last Thursday.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Charles Young who has been ill for some time is able to be seen around the yards again.

Miss Dorothy Cipperley spent a couple of days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Krebs and Lester, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Krebs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cowitz.

Burnside Notes.

Monday was Arbor Day at the school and a great deal of cleaning up and burning of rubbish was attended to.

Mr. Sam McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Saunders and son, Mrs. George Saunders and daughter and Mr. Alie Thompson were Sunday visitors at Mr. Noah Eckels.

Our telephones are still silent from the late storm which wrecked so many telephone lines.

Seeding is well advanced and most of the wheat will be in by the end of the week. Farmers are very pleased over the moisture and prospects are good for a crop.

Mr. Harold Metz has gone to Peace River with some friends from High River.

A few from here attended the joint U.F.A. meeting in Community Hall on Monday night. Many more would have been present if the season had not been so busy.

Mr. Fred Metz has a new pair of fancy grey drivers.

The Lone Pine W.I. will meet in the Lone Pine Hall on Thursday afternoon, May 12th.

Carnival Queen nominations from Edmonton, Drumheller and Vancouver testify to the great popularity of the Banff annual winter carnival to be held February 6 to 15. The Alberta branch of the A.A.C. of Canada has agreed to hold figure skating championships at the carnival and now hold their skating championships there as well. Every kind of winter sport will be represented.

Entrances are coming in rapidly for the great winter event of the 1939 winter season, the 11th annual Banff International Dog Show which is to be run over a period of 125 miles, spread over the three days February 22-24 and concluding with the Dog Derby race-hall at the Chateau Banff, February 24. St. George, and other names are already entered.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Farmers are receiving 60 cents a dozen for eggs in Holt County, Nebraska and 8 cents a dozen for hens' eggs. The county pays a bounty on crows or their eggs, and this is the breeding season.

With itching powder and short lengths of garden hose as their weapons, a force of eighteen B.C. police battled 200 nude Doukhobors, members of the Sons of Freedom sect at Thrums, about 16 miles from Nelson, on May 1st, taking 117 of the demonstrators as prisoners. 33 women and 84 men were brought in trucks from the scene of hostilities and jailed.

The International Peace Park bill will be passed by both Canadian houses without further delay, according to a telegram from Dr. J. S. Stewart, of Lethbridge. Both Ottawa and Washington will be represented at an international celebration to be staged on June 18th in connection with the project. This means that an International Peace Park, made up of Glacier and Waterton National Parks is given official recognition by the governments at Ottawa and Washington.

BORN:

April 29th—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erb, a daughter.

April 27th—To Mr. and Mrs. James Rupp, a daughter.

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PEARS Orchard City Bartlett, light syrup, 2 tins 35c	JAM Quaker Pure Cherry, 4s per tin 43c
JAM Aylmer Peach or Apricot, pure, 4s, per tin 43c	BEANS Finest Ontario White 10 lbs. 39c
PEACHES Aylmer halves size 2 tin per tin 22c	SOAP CHIPS Bulk, Made by Palmolive 3 lbs. 29c
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PINKAPPLE Libby's sliced or crushed, 2s per tin 25c	P & G White Naphtha 9 cakes 34c
WAX BEANS Royal City brand, cut— size 2s. 2 tins 25c	LUNCH TONGUE Harris' Sweet Clover Brand 12 oz tin, each 27c
CLAMS Indian Chief brand, Eastern little neck, 5 oz tin 15c	CATSUP Aylmer Tomato per bottle 15c
HERRING Skipper (Clipped) boneless 8oz tins, each 15c	DATES Sheik Brand, 2 lb. pkts 2 pkts 35c
CHAM MEAT T. C. brand, size 1-2s per tin 23c	MAPLE SYRUP Highland Brand, pure 32 oz tin 65c 72 oz tin \$1.25